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25 YEAR RE-REVIEW

MEMORANDUM FOR: Director of Training

SUBJECT: Biweekly Report #9-65: The Defense Intelligence School (DIS)
26 April - 7 May 1965

25X1 1. DIA has established an Intelligence Position and Qualifications Board to insure that "important intelligence positions are identified in national and unified staff areas of intelligence and that adequate professional qualification standards are established as requirements for these positions." [redacted] Chief of Staff of DIA, is Chairman. DIA members are:

25X1 Deputy Assistant Chief of Staff/Plans and Programs
25X1 Deputy Assistant Director for Acquisition
Deputy Assistant Director for Processing
Deputy to the Chief of the Production Center
Deputy Assistant Director for Scientific and Technical Intelligence
Deputy Comptroller
Chief, Intelligence Support and Indications Center
Commandant, DIS [redacted]
Chief, Training Group [redacted]

25X1 2. Twenty recruits are apparently in hand for the initial offering of the Civilian Analyst Course beginning in late June. The likelihood of obtaining the maximum of thirty college graduates is now being talked about. Meanwhile, I've been given requests for staffing with CIA lecturers to support this new program. Decision has been made that the faculty for the Defense Intelligence Course will assume responsibility for this summer period course, too. Overlap, and some confusion, will occur when the courses run simultaneously in September.

25X1 3. [redacted] have just returned from field trips in connection with their attendance at the pilot running of the Advanced Intelligence Course. At the last minute, the DIS administrative staff asked us for funding travel and per diem of our two students. 25X1 A letter justifying the request for assistance is being prepared for [redacted] files, as he requested.

25X1 4. I have reviewed the term papers of two members of the AIC who chose me for an advisor. One paper is already a rather good one, even in rough draft. The other needs to be rewritten completely.

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25X1 5. We've given considerable support to the Attaché class that just
25X1 got under way. Already our speakers have been [redacted] (2 hours);
25X1 [redacted] (3 hours); [redacted] (1 hour); [redacted] (1 hour);
25X1 [redacted] (1 hour); and [redacted] (1 hour). Tomorrow, we provide
25X1 the film "Five Fingers" and on Friday, [redacted]
will present Surveillance and Countersurveillance principles in antici-
pation of the practical exercise to be engaged in several weeks hence.
Participants will be the eight Attaché-Designates scheduled for Iron
Curtain countries and other Restricted areas. (There are four other
special students so designated, but they'll not be in attendance at these
times.)

6. For Friday afternoon, 7 May, a complete shutdown of the entire
Annex was in effect. We had an electrical outage, some sewer construction,
etc. but still no air conditioning for the auditorium. I understand
we share this problem with occupants of 1000 North Glebe.

7. I have seen the rough draft of the report on the DIS which is
being prepared by two representatives of the DIA Comptroller. The report
is not yet complete, but it is extremely unlikely that any of the
recommendations will suggest additional support or back-up from OTR or
the Agency. Areas recommended for beefing-up include the academic
support apparatus, the classified library (on which I've already made
arrangements with the CIA Librarian for some guidance and advisory
assistance), and extending the non-resident program to DIA personnel on
duty in the Production Center and elsewhere.

25X1 8. The Commandant, in a latest effort to get all officers and
25X1 faculty members acquainted, has instituted a Dining-In Night. The first
venture will take place on 20 May at Andrews AFB Officers' Club. All
former faculty members in the area, as well as [redacted]
[redacted] have been invited. There is evidence or lack of
enthusiasm on the part of some faculty members because of the formal
dress requirements for the event and because of the British overtones.
I'm looking forward to the episode; I expect it will prove as successful
25X1 as [redacted] anticipates it will. He is much at ease in the social
environment, and he seems to have a pretty good reading on the indi-
25X1 viduals who comprise his "troops."

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CIA Faculty Advisor, DIS

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